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For: BODY COMPOSITION MEASURING APPARATUS WITH BUILT-IN WEIGHT
METER

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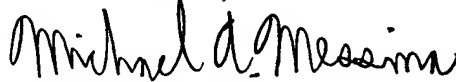attached for the Examiner's information.

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